



Come Chat With YS Librarians!



Do you miss connecting with other youth librarians? Feeling stuck and need a refresh on ideas? Want to talk about what's circulating, if you're re-opening and what that looks like, summer planning, and what lessons you've learned? Want to share something you just tried that went well? Have ANYthing you want to discuss with other youth services librarians? Join Angie and fellow youth services librarians **today (Monday, February 22) from 11:00-12:00** to discuss *anything* and *everything* on your mind and just have some community with other librarians. Bring your best ideas, biggest successes and challenges, and all your questions! Be prepared to chat, Angie might call on you to share!

Can't stay the whole hour? It's OK! Miss this month? It's fine, try again in March. This is a new date and time for 2021 and we're still figuring out when the best time to try to meet is, so Angie welcomes feedback about when is good for you! These sessions are not for CE and will not be recorded - it's just a chance for us to get together, talk about youth services, and offer each other insight and support.

Join Angie and other youth librarians at February's Pop YS Pop-In by clicking the link below about 5 minutes before the session is set to start.

Angie's Zoom Room

Or use this link: <https://zoom.us/j/5152817572>.

If you have questions, comments, or suggestions about the Pop-Ins or any other topics or get-togethers that might be useful, please [email Angie](#) or call her at 515-281-7572. She'll be busy during the chat, but will always get back to you as soon as she can. Can't wait to "see" you soon!

I know how hard things are right now but please remember: you are so valued!

You are wonderful and fantastic and doing great things for your community. I know this is a scary and confusing time and I am so grateful to all of you for doing your best. Know that there is no one RIGHT answer but together, in community, we can figure things out. Please remember, also, that **you matter**. Rest and take breaks when you need to and don't pressure yourself to do and be everything. It's OK to let things go. It's OK to feel zoom'ed out but still want to connect how you can. It's all OK and you're doing amazing. Think about what really matters and prioritize your services, that's fine. You are making a huge contribution to



your entire community. All of Iowa is thankful. **I see what you do, I am amazed, I believe in you** and I am so grateful to you for ALL your hard work. YOU GOT THIS! -Angie

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